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CLOSING MESSAGES

OF DR. JOHN P. D. JOHN ON SUNDAY AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

THEY WERE MUCH ENJOYED

Spoke on "The Worth of a Man," and on "A Fireproof Conviction"—Large Audiences.

Three large congregations assembled at the First Methodist church Sunday morning, afternoon and evening, to listen to the closing messages of Dr. John P. D. John.

The series of lectures given by Dr. John was very much enjoyed by those that attended, and they declared that they were the greatest addresses ever given in this city. The messages were very helpful and inspiring.

On Sunday morning Dr. John preached on the theme, "The Stream That Flows Uphill." He explained that there is force enough in the rays of the sun to lift, if brought under control, plates of iron 240 feet thick a mile above the surface of the earth inside a year, in spite of gravitation. He then insisted that it is the lifting power of the "Sun of Righteousness" that is raising the human race out of its fallen condition and up to constantly higher levels.

Dr. John took for his subject Sunday afternoon "The Worth of a Man." The speaker first explained that by man he meant human being, and in the course of his address, Dr. John said:

"A man is large or small according to the way you look at him. Two philosophers stood upon a mountain and looked at man. One said he is great and mighty; the other, he is insignificant as an apple. Both were right, for one looked through the small end of the telescope, and the second through the large end. The Atlantic is wide, if you must swim it, but the crossing is a matter of a few days by aid of steam and steel. A mountain is enormous beside a mole hill, insignificant beside the earth. Put an average man alongside Confucius, Socrates or Plato, and they are not to be seen, but a man is gigantic beside a dog or a mule. Man is great or small according to his limit. Limited by span and duration he is nothing.

"A man in the hands of God's law is helpless. You can bribe human legislatures, you can corrupt juries, but you cannot corrupt God's inexorable law. If a man steals a loaf send him to prison. If he steals a railroad, send him to the United States senate. It has been said that a rich man has offered \$1,999,000 for a sound stomach; but nature does not sell sound stomachs. They are not for sale. A queen offered part of her kingdom for a little longer span of life, but with no effect. Physical law is all-powerful, no man is an exception, and God's broom sweeps clean.

"Whatever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. Pay day comes as surely as death. Right is right, and wrong is wrong. It is wrong for a corporation to cheat an individual, and it is equally wrong for you to cheat a corporation, if you can. Right has been right from the beginning and wrong will be wrong from eternity. Even the great Moses could not stand against the inexorable physical law of the Almighty, and He was the greatest man of his time."

Dr. John took for his closing lecture "A Fireproof Conviction."

The speaker started out to define conviction by telling of many things which people sometimes mistake for conviction.

Conviction, he said, is not a whim. You can prophesy where a conviction

will lead, but you cannot tell in what direction a whim will tend.

Conviction is the steamship with its bow pointed toward the port. A whim is the sailing vessel, tacking first to one side and then to another under every adverse wind, or no wind at all.

A whim is of spontaneous birth; conviction is born of deep experience.

Conviction as exemplified in the lives of Luther, of Washington, of Abraham Lincoln, wrought religious, political and racial freedom.

So when conviction, embodied in the minds of a great and free people, shall be hurled against the Gibraltar of evil, the saloon, not all the devils of hell can prevent its destruction.

Conviction never compromises, either in the presence of man or devil, earth or hell.

It is better to be in the furnace with the God of fire than on the throne with the fire God of Nebuchadnezzar.

The speaker illustrated his points with the story of the work of a noted Scotch preacher who first went to the Klondike region among the rough miners and how his native conviction of right and wrong was honored and prevailed against all the rugged forces of evil even in that wild country.

TO HOLD CONVENTION

On May 31, June 1 and 2, But Place Not Determined—Have Prepared Program.

A cabinet meeting of the Maryville district Epworth League of the First M. E. church was held Saturday in County Superintendent W. M. Oaker's office. The members of the cabinet present were: Rev. A. C. Brown of Bolckow, president; Miss Maud Roach of Maryville, secretary; Miss Bessie Cox, Maryville; Miss Nellie Wiley, Clearmont, and Mr. Summerly of Fillmore.

They decided to hold the annual convention on May 31, June 1 and 2, and the place is not definitely decided on. They also prepared a program which will be given out later. Dr. J. C. English of Cameron has been secured for an address at the convention.

Wells Not Operated On.

W. R. Wells was not operated on Saturday at St. Luke's hospital at Chicago. After an examination had been made, Dr. McArthur said that Mr. Wells had cancer of the bowels and an operation would not be performed for three weeks.

Dr. Dean Has New Car.

A handsome new automobile attracted much attention on our streets Monday morning. It was Dr. Leslie Dean's car, a thirty horse power Maxwell, of soft gray finish, and is a beauty. Dr. Dean has had the car for some time, but this was the first time that the roads about town were fit to give the car a trial.

To Allender Residence.

Mr. H. C. Bowers, the west side hardware man, and his family will occupy the residence of Dr. L. A. Allender, on South Fillmore street. Mr. Bowers and his family have been living in the Heath-Masters place, on South Main street, which has been leased by Mr. Myers and family, who recently moved into the Lewis Miller residence, on West Jenkins street. Mr. Miller and his family, who have been living in the Burnham residence, on West First street, will soon remove to their own home.

Going to Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. H. K. Taylor and daughter, Miss Emma Lee Taylor, went to St. Joseph Monday evening for a short visit with Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. L. C. Gabbert. They will then go to Excelsior Springs for a several weeks' stay at the springs.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—22,000. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.
Hogs—58,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.55. Estimate tomorrow, 18,000.
Sheep—33,000. Market 10c to 15c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—8,000. Market steady.
Hogs—6,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.50.

Sheep—7,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,100. Market steady.
Hogs—11,000. Top, \$7.55.
Sheep—9,500. Market lower.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

WILL MAKE MISTAKE

IF THEY DON'T VOTE FOR CONSOLIDATION, WRITES DR. TAYLOR

MEANS A FORWARD STEP

In Rural Education in This County—Dr. Taylor is Visiting in Illinois and Indiana.

"The people of Pickering, Elmo, Skidmore and other places will make a great mistake if they do not vote for consolidation on April 2," writes President H. K. Taylor from Rockford, Ill. Dr. Taylor is in Illinois studying the condition of the rural schools that are being consolidated. Last week Dr. Taylor visited the Harlem consolidated district, made by uniting four schools, and he writes that everybody of that community was enthusiastic for it.

"I'd rather walk or ride three miles to this school than eighty rods to the old one," said one little girl, and when the question of consolidation was put to a vote among the pupils of the schools every child was in favor of it. In the Harlem district there is no transportation, and the pupils furnish their own transportation, but yet they greatly prefer this to the old plan. From Rockford Dr. Taylor goes to Indiana, where he intends to make a trip to school in the back with the children, thereby getting in close touch with every phase of the new plan.

"Let everybody pull for consolidation, as it means a forward step in rural education that cannot be estimated in its value to the coming generation," says Dr. Taylor.

ORGANIZE AT HOPKINS.

To Create More Among Farmers and Boys in Corn Growing Contest.

At a meeting held at Hopkins Saturday of the farmers and boys of that township it was decided that a committee be appointed to have charge, and that money be raised in that township in addition to the county prizes, so as to create more interest there for the county corn growing contest to be held in Maryville this fall.

The committee selected was composed of one from each school district, and they are as follows:

Ross Wells, Excelsior.
Ferrell Malone, Prairie Flower.
Mac Russell, Fairview.
Ralph Ratekin, Prairie Star.
Otho Clymens, Highland.
Ray King, Hopkins.

County Superintendent Oaker attended the meeting. It was suggested that money be raised for township prizes and that the committee take up this work at once.

Other townships will probably follow the lead of Hopkins township and organize. In this way the boys and girls will receive township prizes in addition to the county prizes in the corn growing and domestic science contests.

Traded Off One Rubber.

The fellow that traded off one of his rubbers at the First M. E. church Friday night for one of Rev. Lee Harrel's isn't big enough to fill the one he got. It takes a big man to full Rev. Harrel's shoes. If you saw the reverend gentleman stepping firmly on one foot and mighty easy on the other Saturday you may know that one foot was being considerably squeezed. And if you saw a fellow going around dragging one of his feet to keep his rubber on—why, that's the fellow that traded with him.

Tribute to John Lowe.

A nice tribute to the memory of Mr. John Lowe appeared in the True Voice of Omaha of Friday. The young man was a member of the freshman class of Creighton college. He stood high in college athletics and dramatic art and gave evidence of a bright future in all college affairs and would have fitted himself for a high place in life. The active pallbearers were members of his class. The entire student body of Creighton college attended the funeral services.

It will be remembered by many of our young people that the young man was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lowe of Omaha, formerly of Maryville, and he was born during their residence in this city, about twenty years ago. He leaves five brothers and sisters.

Misses Maud and May Evans and Miss Lida Ambrose of Bedison were in Maryville on business Saturday.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

The U. C. T. Met Saturday Night—Hal Hooker Heads the Lodge.

Officers were elected Saturday evening by the U. C. T. lodge, which met at the K. P. hall, over Childress' store. They will serve for the coming year and those elected follow:

Hal Hooker, S. C.
S. O. Hutchison, J. C.
R. M. Crail, conductor.
Earl Heath, page.
E. G. Orear, secretary.
E. B. Sheldon and George J. Moore, members of the executive committee for two years.

The representatives selected to go to the grand council, which meets in Joplin in June, were: Irvin Bartram, W. J. Hutton and J. H. Thorp. Alternates, J. H. Aley, Hal Hooker and S. O. Hutchison.

The degree of past counselor was conferred on E. G. Orear after the election of officers.

REV. PARVIN MADE STATEMENT

At His Morning Service Sunday, on the Execution of Rasco.

Rev. W. J. Parvin, pastor of the Methodist church, South, in an interview given today, spoke of his attitude on the execution of Rasco, which prompted his sermon on Sunday on the legal execution of the condemned man.

"Were I sheriff of Nodaway county I could execute the prisoner," said Rev. Parvin, "but I would be certain that in doing so I had no enmity toward the condemned man. Were I to execute the prisoner with malice in my heart, and in any other way than as an official I would be a moral murderer, and there is danger for Sheriff Tilson. Rasco has been vindictive toward Mr. Tilson, and I hope that the sheriff does not hold anything against the prisoner for that reason.

"I do not blame Governor Hadley for not commuting the sentence of Rasco. I do, however, blame the public sentiment that made it impossible for the governor to act without peril to the officers and all concerned in the unfortunate affair. I not only signed the note addressed to Governor Hadley by the ministers of the city, but I, considerable time before this, wrote Governor Hadley asking for a commutation of his sentence. Were it all to do over, and knowing as I do that the action I was to take would precipitate a mob, if I succeeded, I would not change my attitude in the matter.

"I do not favor capital punishment. I signed the note to Governor Hadley along with other ministers as an individual acting on my own initiative and because I am opposed to capital punishment, as I stated.

"It will take years to wear away the thirst for blood that has been engendered. The impress of this awful thing on the minds of children cannot be estimated. I have often wondered if the pall cast on Rasco's mother by the hanging of the Talbott brothers here about the time of Rasco's birth did not act as a prenatal influence on the mind of the unborn child. What will its effect be on those to be born under similar circumstances?"

It developed today that one of Rasco's attorneys has been framing out Rasco's spiritual advice. This attorney first approached Rev. Parvin and asked him if, under certain conditions, Rasco's spiritual welfare might be assured. Rev. Parvin's reply was that a full and complete confession of all his sins would be necessary.

"We will call on you when we need your services," was the reply of the attorney.

"It was for this reason that I did not and have not called on Rasco," said Rev. Parvin today. "It would have been ungentlemanly to have forced my services under the circumstances, knowing that my terms were not to be complied with."

DEATH OF OLD RESIDENT.

George W. Litts Passed Away at Home of Daughter, Near Barnard.

George W. Litts, an old resident of near Barnard, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. A. Council, at 11:30 o'clock Monday forenoon. The arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

Mr. Litts is survived by four children, who are Ben F. Litts of St. Joseph, former county treasurer of Nodaway county; Alex Litts of St. Joseph; Mrs. C. F. Jackson of Savannah and Mrs. G. A. Council of Barnard. Mrs. F. E. Whitechurch of Maryville is a granddaughter of the late Mr. Litts.

Miss Anna Collins, a Business college student, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Collins, near Pickering.

EVERYTHING READY FOR THE EXECUTION OF RASCO

Hez Still Says That He Is Not Guilty and That He Is Not Afraid To Die--To Make A Public Statement of His Innocence, He Says

Hez Rasco said in the county jail Monday afternoon to a representative of this paper that he had no statement to make other than the one he made last week, that he was not guilty. He said that he was prepared to die, and that he could look his God in the face. He seemed very cheerful.

He requested the representative of this paper to say for him that there is no truth in the article printed in the St. Joseph Gazette this morning in regard to him confessing to his father, brothers and an uncle. He said that he had never confessed and that he was not going to confess, as he was not guilty.

When The Democrat-Forum representative was present at the jail an uncle and aunt of Hez, and his cousins and brothers called on him. J. K. Pierson, a brother of Hez's mother, and Mrs. Dollie Jackson, a sister of his mother, and Mrs. Jessie Spurlock, a cousin, all of Sidney, Ia., and Lee and Harry Rasco, brothers of Hez, were in the party. They talked in regard to the funeral arrangements, and if there was anything that he wanted. He replied no, he guessed not. While they were talking about these arrangements Hez never quivered.

It is expected that Hez will make a public statement on the scaffold in the morning. He said Sunday that he would say that he was innocent and that he was not afraid to die.

The question today seems to be whether Rasco will confess. Judge Saylor, one of his attorneys, said this morning, after calling on Rasco at the jail:

"Rasco will not confess, in my opinion. We have given him every opportunity to do so and have begged him to do so. I personally have become very close to the unfortunate man, and he refuses every plea that I have made. He still maintains that he is innocent."

Rasco said to Judge Saylor: "I am not afraid of the gallows, and I dread only one thing, and that is the effect of this on my poor father."

Prayed for His Enemies.

Rev. Lee Harrel of the First Baptist church spent some time with Hez Rasco in his cell Sunday evening, as he was going to leave that night for Platte City and knew he could not see him Monday.

After some length of time spent in reading from the Scriptures and expounding to the prisoners, the minister knelt in prayer, and after praying awhile he asked Rasco to lead in prayer. The prisoner responded without hesitation, and began by praying Our Lord's Prayer. Then he asked God to especially bless the ministers who were leading him in the way of life and their families. Then he asked God's blessing on all who hated him and upon those who would execute him on the gallows, and on all who had anything to do with charging him with the crime, and adding: "For thou knowest, O Father, that I am not guilty of the crime with which I am charged, so forgive them, for they know not what they do."

Rev. Harrel was deeply impressed by the apparent sincerity of the prisoner's prayer.

Rev. Harrel left for Platte City Sunday night to preach the funeral of the late Mrs. Dr. Fields, who died in Joplin Friday night. The funeral services were held this morning at 10 o'clock.

Monday morning a message came for Rev. Harrel to come to Smithville, Mo., to conduct a funeral service Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock for the late John Farmer, who died Sunday night. Mrs. Harrel forwarded the message to her husband and he received it at Platte City, just after he had closed the service of the Platte City funeral. Rev. Harrel promised relatives of both of the deceased persons, more than a week ago, that he would preach the funeral sermons for them if the funerals were not held on Sunday.

This explanation is made for Rev.

Harrel's absence at this time, so that no one will think that he is shirking his duty. When he took leave of Hez Rasco Sunday night he told him that he expected to return on the 8:30 Burlington train Monday night.

Rev. Claude J. Miller of the First Christian church received a phone message from Rev. Harrel at noon Monday explaining why he would not be able to return to Maryville Monday night, and Rev. Miller wished The Democrat-Forum to tell it.

Hez Is Nervous.

Rasco didn't retire Saturday night until 3 o'clock in the morning, and then didn't take his clothes off. He said that he didn't sleep very much. On Sunday night Hez retired about 11 o'clock and then only rested fairly well during the night. For breakfast Monday he had one egg, a dish of oatmeal, two slices of bread and butter and a cup of coffee.

Sunday afternoon Hez was nervous, but by evening he was more cheerful.

Wrote to His Father.

Rasco wrote to his father, Henry Rasco, and to his half-sister, bidding them good-bye and protesting his innocence. The letters were of cheerful nature and were written Saturday night. Henry Rasco, the aged father of Hez is not expected to be here Tuesday, and none of the family except Lee and Harry Rasco, brothers of Hez, who are to take charge of the body.

When his attorneys called on him Sunday afternoon he inquired as to his father's injury and if he was badly hurt. When the attorneys asked Hez if there was any one he wanted to see, he replied:

"No, I guess not. There are some I would like to see, but I guess it is impossible, and I will cast it off my mind."

He was referring to his father and his half-sister, to whom he seems deeply attached.

All Arrangements Made.

Sheriff Tilson said this morning that all arrangements were made and everything was ready. The time for the execution has not been set and will not be until this evening.

The two physicians selected are Dr. William Wallis, Jr., and County Physician C. V. Martin.

A test of the rope was made this morning by George Evans and George Finney.

Wire Fence Around Inclosure.

A wire fence was built around the inclosure of the scaffold, so as to keep people away. Everything is being done so as to prevent any trouble. It is expected that a number of people will be in Maryville merely for curiosity.

Extra Police Force.

Mayor Robey and Chief of Police John Wallace have selected several men who will serve on the police force Tuesday. It is expected that many people will be in the city, but no trouble is looked for. Some of those who will serve are: John Borrusch, E. C. Moberly, Eph Tilton, A. O. Mason, Bert Rowley, Frank Bolin, William Culver, Frank Ewing and Bert Mack. Sheriff Theisen Here.

Sheriff Otto Theisen of Buchanan county, Jack Pictell of St. Joseph and Editor Charles Adams of the St. Joseph News-Press arrived in Maryville Monday noon and will remain until Tuesday forenoon. Sheriff Theisen visited Hez Rasco Monday afternoon. He held Sheriff Theisen in high regard and was very glad to see him, and again thanked him for the kind treatment he had received from him during the months he was held in the Buchanan county jail.

John Hubbell and his son-in-law, Andy Baer, of Barnard, came to Maryville Monday to remain until after the execution. John Hubbell is the father of Oda Hubbell, who, with his family, were murdered and their bodies burned, the crime for which Hez Rasco is condemned.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday, colder Tuesday.

Special

Watch this paper for advertisement of our sale, beginning March 30 and last one week.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Candidate for Chief of Police.
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of chief of police.
ELMER C. MOBERLY.

For Councilman.
I hereby announce myself for councilman for the Fourth ward.
J. E. MINTYRE.

For City Marshal.
We are authorized to announce that Charles Ross will be a candidate for city marshal, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election, April 2.

Here From Topeka.
William Kelley of Topeka, Kan., a former circuit clerk of Nodaway county, arrived in Maryville Monday noon and will be here until Tuesday evening. Mr. Kelley and his family moved to Topeka last December from Ponca City, Okla., where they moved from Maryville some two and a half years ago. They were not enamored by Oklahoma and Mr. Kelley disposed of his interest in the banking business there and went to Topeka. He is in the railway offices of the Santa Fe at Topeka. They got just as near old Nodaway county as they could, and we venture to say they will be back here some day to live, and all their friends will be glad of it.

For Sheriff Nodaway County.
Martin H. Borrusch wishes to announce to the public that it is rumored that he is out for chief of police, but that is a mistake. He says he is out as a candidate for and will run for the office of sheriff of Nodaway county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hill, living west of Maryville, left for Corydon, Ia., Monday on account of the serious illness of Mr. Hill's brother-in-law, Samuel Gookin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hepburn returned to their home Monday, after an over-Sunday visit with their daughter, Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Groves of Hopkins were business visitors in Maryville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goforth of Bolckow arrived in Maryville Saturday noon to spend a few days with the family of their son, Mr. W. E. Goforth.

MARK'S

WANTED

Everybody to visit our new store on the south side of the square where we have just opened the nicest stock of 5 and 10 cent goods ever brought to Maryville.

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"Just a step past Main"

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Elks' Dance Wednesday Eve.

An informal dance will be given at the Elks' club Wednesday evening.

Penelope Club to Meet.

The Penelope club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. L. Holmes.

Married by Dr. Ford.

Miss Emily M. Ditto and Perry F. Jackson of this city were married Sunday noon at the First M. E. parsonage by Dr. J. S. Ford, pastor of the First M. E. church. There were present at the ceremony Miss Minnie Ditto, sister of the bride, and Miss Nina Jackson, sister of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bratcher and Miss Dena Hartman. The bride is a daughter of Samuel Ditto, who lives six miles east of the city, while the groom is a son of George Jackson of Maryville. The young couple will live on East First street in this city.

P. E. O. Meeting.

Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. J. C. Denham and Miss May Anthony were hostesses Saturday afternoon to the members of the P. E. O. chapter. During the business session Miss Fannie Hope was initiated into the chapter. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in a social manner, dominoes being played at three tables. Mrs. Charles Wadley scored high and was presented a set of dominoes. The hostesses served refreshments at the conclusion of the games. The next meeting will be held April 13, at the home of Mrs. J. C. Denham.

Celebrated Birthday Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Berney Harris entertained a number of friends Friday evening to celebrate the birthday anniversary of their eldest son, Irvin Harris. The guests were members of the faculty of our public schools who are or have been teachers of their four sons, Irvin, Berney, Jr., Robert and Joe, and their music teacher, Miss Lottie Perrin. After an evening playing dominoes, the hostess, assisted by Mrs. N. C. Covey, served refreshments. Miss Golda Airy and Superintendent C. A. Hawkins made the highest score at the games. Those in the company were Superintendent Hawkins, Miss Calla Varner, Miss Lillian Lindholm, Miss Margaret Thompson, Miss Hazel Petty, Miss Winifred Ashby, Miss Mary Ford, Miss Antoinette Craig, Miss Lois Halley, Miss Golda Airy, Miss Lela Bonewitz, Miss Nelle Hudson, Miss Julia Denny, Miss Lottie Perrin.

Mrs. Garten No Better.

Mrs. Thomas Garten, living east of Pickering, who has been quite sick all winter, does not improve.

The Awakening of John Bond Tuesday night at Fern theater.

James Heffern of Sioux City, Ia., arrived Saturday night for a three days' visit with his mother, Mrs. Michael Heffern and family.

Miss Addie Petree, a State Normal student, went to her home in Rosendale Friday evening to spend Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Neeley of Blanchard, Ia., spent Sunday in Maryville the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frank.

Mrs. Paul Ream of Kansas City is visiting her father, Joseph Jackson, Sr., and family.

Miss Charlotte Miller, a State Normal student, spent Sunday with her parents at Hopkins.

J. I. Bennett of Bolckow arrived in Maryville Monday noon for a two days' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butts of Hopkins were shopping in Maryville Monday.

Mrs. Art Yeager of Hopkins was shopping in Maryville Friday evening.

Andrew Billey and Will Growney of Clyde were in Maryville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sargent of Bolckow came to Maryville Monday.

The Awakening of John Bond Tuesday night at Fern theater.

FOUND—Gold locket containing woman's picture. Call at Democrat-Forum.

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ENTIRE TRAIN TURNED OVER

SOFT ROADBED CAUSED INJURY TO TWENTY PERSONS.

Seven Women in St. Joseph Hospitals in Dangerous Condition—Was Taking Siding.

St. Joseph, Mar. 25.—A soft roadbed, a derail track and a switch thrown at the wrong moment resulted in the overturning of a whole train at Cosby, Mo., ten miles from St. Joseph, late in the afternoon and the injury of 20 persons, five of them seriously. Seven women are at local hospitals in a dangerous condition, while others, less seriously injured, were given medical attention and taken home.

The train, No. 113 on the Chariton branch of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, was taking a side track for another train when the accident occurred. The railroad is making a fill about a mile in length at Cosby and the roadbed is soft as a result. A derail track leads from the switch to the edge of the embankment. The brakeman, hurrying to let his train on the passing track, let the switch bar wobble in his hands after the engine had passed, and the cars took the direct track, which gave way, pitched in under the cars and caused the baggage car and two coaches to turn over on their sides. The passengers were nearly all shoppers from nearby towns.

Passengers from the other train and the engine crews were promptly at work extricating the injured, a dozen or more of whom were brought into St. Joseph. Others were taken to the depot at Cosby and there given relief.

SNOW ENOUGH FOR ENTIRE WEST

Kansas City eGts Deepest Snow in History, 25 Inches—Less Than One Inch at St. Joseph.

Kansas City Gets Deepest Snow in snowing at 4 a. m. Kansas City's deep-snow record had been broken by five inches, and the winter record shot to figures far beyond the memory of the weather office man.

Since January 1 Kansas City has had 32 snows with a total depth of five feet, one inch and a fraction.

This last precipitation represented practically 24 hours of continuous snowing. It was a wet, heavy snow that packed as it fell.

The 25-inch snowfall represents two and one-half inches of rain. This high percentage is due to the abnormally wet condition of the snow. It was largely a local snow and the fall in the Kaw and Missouri river valleys was light. As near by as St. Joseph only three-tenths of an inch fell.

Kansas City's rainfall—represented by snow—was the highest in the United States with one exception—Memphis.

WHIPPED BOY TO MAKE HIM CRY

School Teacher at Easton, Mo., Indicted by Grand Jury for Brutal Punishment.

St. Joseph, Mo., Mar. 25.—Miss Iva White, a school teacher of Easton, this county, was indicted by the grand jury for an alleged brutal whipping of Harold White, a pupil. Witnesses declare that the boy said he liked to be stood in a corner and that the teacher in an effort to make him cry whipped him for several minutes, being forced to take a rest between efforts. Miss White says she was compelled to whip the boy to maintain discipline.

To Rival Reno.

Phoenix, Ariz., Mar. 25.—Arizona is destined to become a rival of Nevada as a mecca for marital discontents, if a bill introduced by Senator Henry Levin of Mojave county becomes a law. The bill provides that an application for divorce may be made after six months' residence in the state and four months' residence in the county.

McCurtain Death List 71.

McCurtain, Ok., Mar. 25.—The official list of dead in the coal mine disaster is 71. Fifty-five escaped alive. Sixty-nine bodies have been recovered. The work of relief is now well in hand.

Spring Coats are Here

Our Spring Coats are arriving daily, and we invite your inspection.

Separate Skirts

In all the Newest approved materials and shapes in stock. Our showing will delight you. So will the PRICE.

Ready to Wear Dresses

Ready to wear dresses are arriving daily by express. A visit to this department will be of interest to you whether you wish to buy or not. You will find here the very latest NEW YORK CREATIONS.

Ladies' Waists

New features this season gives an added interest to the Separate Waist wearer.

REMEMBER THIS—Every garment shown in our READY TO WEAR SECTIONS has been bought within the past THREE WEEKS, and on the very latest Models.

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

Interesting Dress Goods News

We beg to announce the opening of our line of Dress Fabrics for the Spring Season, 1912.

Each season we feel that we have accomplished the most that can be accomplished in the way of assembling an attractive as well as popular-priced line, but our efforts seem to make it possible to eclipse previous records.

The range of plain fabrics for this Spring Season will be exceptionally broad. As you are aware, we are usually first in showing any Novelty of merit and invariably a larger as well as a more exclusive selection than is brought before you in any other line.

While we emphasize the fact that our line will be the broadest and most handsomely selected that will be brought before you for the Spring Season, we wish to emphasize equally the fact that our business is conducted upon the broad and sound basis of value for the money and service in your interest.

We offer the most complete and satisfactory service to be had in Dress Goods and we invite the continuance and increase of your patronage strictly upon the basis of better values and better service than you can get anywhere else.

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

P. S.—Be sure to read our Corset ad in this issue.

City Tax.

The delinquent taxpayers have eight more days in which to pay their taxes before the books will be closed and delinquent list given to an attorney for collection.
J. G. GREMS,
City Collector.

Mrs. F. M. Martin and daughter, Miss Mabel, and Mrs. Martin's grand-son, Master Forrest Martin, went to St. Joseph Monday evening for a few days' visit with Attorney B. Raleigh Martin and family.

Mr. Fred Smith of Chicago visited in Maryville over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith.

Mr. J. M. Davis of Bolckow was a Maryville business visitor Monday.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

City Collector.

I wish to announce to the electors of the city that I will be a candidate for the office of city collector, and would be pleased to receive your support April 2.
J. G. GREMS.

Called by Illness.

Mrs. Thomas Workman went to Pickering Monday on account of the serious illness of the 2-year-old child of her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Workman.

Mrs. J. H. Carmichael, living near Pickering, was in Maryville Monday returning home from a visit in Stanberry with her mother, Mrs. A. C. Hart.

WHY NOT TRY POPHAM'S ASTHMA REMEDY

Gives Prompt and Positive Relief in Every Case. Sold by Druggists. Price \$1.00. Trial Package by Mail 10c.
WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props. Cleveland, O.
For sale by Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Master Julian Parvin went to Kansas City Friday evening to spend a few days with relatives.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Metallic Cases, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Van Steenberg & Son

Dry Cleaning, Pressing
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A REAL AUCTIONEER

If it's the Money You Want, Then Get J. O. Bolin to Cry Your Sale

Bolin gets the price; gets the crowd; is a natural auctioneer; guarantees satisfaction. Phone him at Arkoe, Mo., his expense.

Your Easter Suit

Let us have your selection and measure today. We will guarantee you a perfect fit and latest styles for Easter April 7.

\$15.00 and up

Everything that's new and up to the minute in furnishings for Men.

THE TOGGERY SHOP

212 South Main



Three-Button Novelty
Sack, No. 779
Slanting Lower Pockets

WE SELL IT CHEAPER

Matters not whether you
want

Sugar, Flour, Tea,
Coffee

or any other article

You can SAVE MONEY
on every item by ordering
from us.

Tomorrow and
Wednesday

You can buy

One dozen extra good DILL PICKLES
for 10c
Three Family WHITE FISH for..... 10c
Two No. 1 NORWAY MACKEREL 15c
4 lbs CALIFORNIA PINK BEANS 25c
3½ lbs new LIMA BEANS..... 25c
25c sack fresh MEAL for..... 20c
1 lb No. 1 GUNPOWDER TEA, worth
50c, for 27c
50c lb can ROYAL or PRICE'S BAK-
ING POWDER 39c
Quart can pure OLIVE OIL for..... 75c
5 lbs new 1912 CABBAGE for..... 25c
Florida grown ripe TOMATOES, per
pound 15c
Pint fancy BULK OLIVES for..... 15c
12 lbs No. 1 quality SEEDLESS RAIS-
INS \$1.00
4 lbs new SANTA CLARA PRUNES
for 25c
WHITE CLOVER HONEY, frame, 15c
Quart cans best SWEET POTATOES
for 11c
Quart cans best HOMINY, 4 for..... 25c

We Solicit Mail Orders
Securely Pack and Deliver Goods
to Railway Station Same Day
Order is Received.

Strictly pure LARD in pails, 3-lb, 35c;
5 lbs, 55c; 10 lbs, \$1.05
BULK LARD, 9 lbs for..... 95c
Fancy evaporated N. Y. RASPBERR-
IES, per lb, 35c; 3 lbs..... \$1.00
fresh LETTUCE, RADISHES, Etc.,
daily.

OLD VIRGINIA CHERROOTS (good
smoke), each 1c
Good ONION SETS, 2 quarts..... 15c
Complete line GARDEN SEEDS, 2
pkgs, 5c; dozen for..... 20c

We are today unloading the
finest car load of Table Potatoes
we have had this season. Large,
Smooth, White Burbanks, will
cook up mealy. Special price by
sack, 2½ bushels,
per bushel. **\$1.35**

Seed Potatoes

Ohio, Early Six Weeks, and Bliss
Triumphs at 1-3 less than today's
market values.

Fancy CALIFORNIA SWEET OR-
ANGES, doz..... 25c
Choice EATING APPLES, doz, 20c;
peck 60c
Quart cans TABLE PEARS in syrup
for 12c
Quart cans water packed YELLOW
PEELED PEACHES, cans filled,
2 cans for..... 25c
Quart cans YELLOW TABLE
PEACHES in light syrup, can..... 15c
Quart cans EARLY RED BEETS, 9c;
6 for 50c; doz..... 95c
New PEARL HOMINY, 5 lbs..... 15c
Fresh FLAKED HOMINY, 4 lbs..... 15c
7 lbs STEEL CUT OATS for..... 25c
48-lb sack SUN KIST FLOUR..... \$1.25
98-lb sack SUN KIST FLOUR..... \$2.45
48-lb sack SAFEGUARD PATENT
FLOUR \$1.20
98-lb sack SAFEGUARD PATENT
FLOUR \$2.35
12 lbs CAKE AND BISCUIT PRE-
PARED FLOUR 45c
25-lb sack No. 1 SALT for..... 18c
50-lb sack No. 1 SALT for..... 35c
1 bbl No. 1 SALT for..... \$1.30
14-lb linen sack BUNKER HILL TA-
BLE SALT for 20c

THE TOWNSEND CO.
THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH
STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

TEDDY'S PLATFORM FAILED TO HOLD

Three Thousand People in Maine See
Colonel Turned Down.

ROOSEVELT WAS EMBARRASSED

Had Just Taken His Seat When
Speaker's Rostrum Collapsed—
Audience Frightened But T.
R. is Uninjured.

Portland, Maine, Mar. 25.—With a
crash the immense stage of the audi-
torium collapsed here letting Col.
Roosevelt down with it.

The ex-president had entered the
hall just a moment before. A throng
of 3,000 that jammed the auditorium
was standing upon chairs, waving hats
and handkerchiefs and cheering the
colonel madly.

Roosevelt waved at the crowd and
had just taken his seat in a chair to-
ward the middle of the stage, when
the flooring of the platform began to
sag.

"Look out!" yelled men in the hall.
Their warning came just as the wood-
en horses supporting the stage gave
way.

Heels in Air.

A ripping sound, followed by a
crash echoed through the hall. The
platform fell to the floor level. Col-
onel Roosevelt, who had grasped the
sides of his chair when the warning
was sounded and had tried to rise,
was precipitated backwards. He clung
desperately to the chair.

When the stage settled on the floor,
the colonel found himself in the
somewhat embarrassing position of
showing his heels to the audience. He
struggled and quickly extricated him-
self.

With a leap toward the front of the
stage, which had partly escaped the
sagging, the colonel cried out as his
face broke into a smile:

"It's all right. Nothing but the
floor gave way. Our campaign still is
in the ring."

Reassured the Crowd.

The audience, packed in so tight
that there was scarcely room to move,
had at the collapse of the stage, be-
gun to shriek. The colonel's reassur-
ance that nothing calamitous had
happened quickly had a salutary
effect. The throng began to cheer.

Roosevelt stood at the front of the
stage looking at the wreckage behind
him and then nodding to the audience.
The crowd howled the louder. For
five minutes the cheering went on.
Roosevelt standing the while with
one hand upon a wooden pedestal
which had been rescued from the crash.

BURDEN TO FALL ON CONSUMER

Increased Factory Cost Due to Tex-
tile Strike Will Total Nearly
\$2,000,000 Within Year.

Boston, Mar. 25.—The great Law-
rence strike, which brought increased
wages for 275,000 textile workers in
New England, was officially declared
off at all mills in Lawrence. Ad-
vances in wages or reduction in hours
to paper mill employees, bagging and
burlap workers, machinists and opera-
tives in other industries are all trace-
able, directly or indirectly, to the
movement which had its origin in
Lawrence. The total number of per-
sons thus to benefit is considerably
upward of 300,000.

Advances in the price of woolen
and cotton goods which have been
made, or are in prospect, will place
upon the ultimate consumer much of
the burden of the additional cost to
the textile manufacturers. This will
aggregate between 10 and 12 million
dollars during the next year.

One of Allen Gang Escapes.

Galax, Va., Mar. 25.—Claude Allen,
the 22-year-old son of Floyd Allen and
one of those indicted for the Hillsville
counthouse murders, has cleanly
eluded all pursuers but his uncle,
Sidna Allen, and cousins, Wesley Ed-
ward and Friel Allen, are so closely
pressed on the south side of the Blue
Ridge that they probably will be cap-
tured within three days.

Indians Beg to Dance.

Thomas, Ok., Mar. 25.—Cheyenne
and Arapahoe Indians, numbering
about 500, are meeting here to select
delegates to Washington this week to
protest against an order from the gov-
ernment putting a stop to gift dances
and other dances. The Indians assert
that gift dances are as dear to them
as the white man's Christmas is to
him.

Big Dam Develops Leak.

Keokuk, Ia., Mar. 25.—A fissure
through which water was seeping was
discovered in the main cofferdam of
the \$25,000,000 Mississippi river power
dam now under construction here. A
big force of men is dumping cement
into the break in hope of stopping the
leak, and dynamite within the coffer-
dam has been removed.

Amundsen Will Lecture.

Washington, Mar. 25.—R. Amund-
sen, discoverer of the South pole, will
visit the United States next January
and deliver his first North American
lecture on the successful Antarctic
expedition before the National Geo-
graphic society in Washington.

MEXICAN REBELS CLAIM VICTORY

Many Dead After Three Days of
Continual Fighting.

CAMPA DYNAMITES TROOP TRAIN

Revolutionary General Then Destroys
Railroad in Rear of Federals—
Another Fierce Battle
Expected.

Jimenez, Mex., Mar. 25.—The rebels
after three days of fighting now
claim victory. There are many dead
on both sides. Gen. Gonzales Salas,
the federal leader, and late Mexican
minister of war, is among the
wounded. He resigned his portfolio
to take the field.

Sixty federal dead were accounted
for when the insurgents loaded a light
engine with 40 boxes of dynamite
and sent it headlong into an on-com-
ing armored train, loaded with fed-
eral soldiers. Gen. Campa fell back
to the town of Corralitos, built on an
eminence and more easily defended
than Escalon.

The federals entered Escalon and
2,000 strong, loaded on three freight
trains and, preceded by an armored
train of three cars, began to follow
up the retreating rebels.

Turned Engine Loose.

Campa secured a light engine and
an engineer who agreed to accept the
hazardous task of starting it after it
had been loaded with the explosive.
He ran it until a down grade was
reached and then, opened the throttle,
jumped for his life. The wild locomotive
tore down the track at terrific
speed, telescoped the engine and first
car of the federal train and derailed
the last two cars. At the same in-
stant the dynamite exploded.

Gen. Campa justifies this method by
declaring that the federals set fire to
sage brush, burning to death their
own and rebel wounded. When the
armored train was destroyed, the
main body of government troops in
the three trains detained, and pre-
pared to defend themselves.

Great Battle Likely.

Meanwhile Gen. Campa had sent a
strong detachment on a detour to get
in their rear and destroy the railroad
behind them. It was reported that
the federals will find themselves
hemmed in by superior force.

The rebels have captured 30 prison-
ers six of them wounded, and an offi-
cer; captured two rapid firers and
claim to have killed about 100 of the
enemy.

News is Censored.

Mexico City, Mar. 25.—Press censor-
ship on the part both of the Mexican
government and of the revolutionary
commander, Pascuala Orozco, in the
north, conceal developments in the
region around Jimenez, which prom-
ises to become the scene of the final
struggle for supremacy.

NO TECHNICALITIES FOR HIM

Unknown Negro Who Shot Ft. Smith
Officer Promptly Strung
Up by Mob.

Fort Smith, Ark., Mar. 25.—An un-
known negro who shot and killed
Andy Carr, deputy constable, here,
was hanged to a trolley pole at mid-
night on the main street of the town.
The mob—about 1,000 strong—broke
into the city jail and dragged the
prisoner to the street, where in the
view of thousands of people, includ-
ing hundreds of guests at the win-
dows of the two leading hotels the
negro was hanged. The police force
was helpless before the mob. The
negro was brutally beaten by the mob
which had difficulty in getting the
rope over the trolley pole.

Woodmen Against New Rates.

Guthrie, Ok., Mar. 25.—The Modern
Woodmen of America will hold a state
convention in Guthrie April 22 to or-
ganize the 800 camps in this state to
fight for a reconsideration of the ad-
justment of rates which were in-
creased by the head camp in Chicago.
There are 18,000 members in Okla-
homa.

Orient Stops Texas Work.

Fort Stockton, Tex., Mar. 25.—Pend-
ing a satisfactory arrangement of the
financial difficulty all construction
work upon the Kansas City, Mexico
& Orient railway in this state has
been suspended. Many grading out-
fits are idle between Fort Stockton
and San Angelo, and also on the di-
vision between Alpine and this place.

Girl Carries Brother's Papers.

Osage City, Kan., Mar. 25.—Mar-
Young carries papers in Osage City
and has a large list. He stepped on a
nail and was laid up several days.
His sister, Agnes, 11 years old, took
up the work and delivered his papers
to the patrons. The heavy snow-
storms did not deter her from keep-
ing up her brother's work.

Belt Caught His Clothing.

Independence, Kan., Mar. 25.—Har-
rison Piper, 19 years old, was killed
at the plant of the United Iron Works
here while trying to throw the belt on
a big gas engine. He was caught in
the belting, whirled over several times
and dashed to death against the
machinery.

A Clatter of Feet is Heard in the Land
They belong to Men who Dress Well and Swell
The STEADY TRAMP, TRAMP, is in the direction of

BERNEY HARRIS'

Maryville's Leading Clothing Store

"Young Fellows" and "Middle Aged Fellows"
keen for both Style and Quality are in Berney
Harris' Store playing a Dandy Game of "Give
and Take." Giving us their good money and
Taking our Smart Styles in

"Sincerity" or "DresSwell" Clothes

John B. Stetson Nifty Hats

Selz "Royal Blue" Nobby Shoes

Ferguson-McKinney Correct Soft and Laundered Shirts
"Holeproof" and "Black Cat" Guaranteed Hosiery

You can't get away from the superior style,
quality and dependableness of such "up to the
minute" manufacturers as the makers of

"Sincerity" and "DresSwell" Clothing

John B. Stetson Hats

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Ferguson-McKinney Shirts

"Holeproof" and "Black Cat" Hosiery

For style and quality they have the reach of a
Giant Crane and the Cordial Grip of a Borrowing
Friend.

WHEN VISITING BERNEY HARRIS' CLOTHING DEPART-
MENT, special attention should be given to the many new and
pretty shades of PLUM, MAPLE, TAN, GRAY, FAWN and BROWN,
besides the IMMENSE ASSORTMENT of PLAIN BLUE and DIAG-
ONAL SERGES.

THE NEW SPRING STYLES are so "SUPRE-
MELY SUPERIOR" in RICHNESS of COLORINGS and
DESIGN, QUALITY WORKMANSHIP, and "MODEL
CLEVERNESS" as to have merited and received many
compliments from the early lookers... but then

Berney's Prices Won't Phase You
Although His Styles Will Amaze You.
No Wonder Lookers Become Buyers.

Berney Harris
MARYVILLE'S LEADING CLOTHIER

Don't Expect More of Your Figure Than Your Corset Will Give You

W. B. The great form maker, the live model Corset, is the Corset Sensation of 1912.

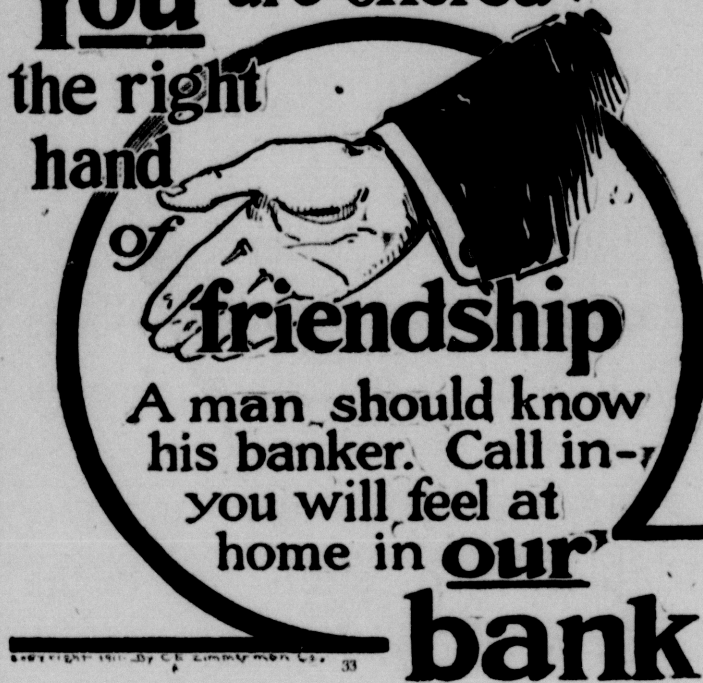
\$1.50 for \$1.00
W. B. Nuform Special No. 1147

A remarkable W. B. Nuform value. The model is exceptional for average or well developed figures. The lines are very straight and modish, with low bust and very long hips. A draw string makes the bust width adjustable. A strong hook below front steel prevents spreading and adds to the durability of the garment, as it positively prevents the pulling out of the material at the bottom of the clasps. Material is batiste of exceptional finish, lace trimmed. Hose supporters. Sizes 18 to 30. Stock price \$1.50, sale price \$1.00.

The makers of W. B. Corsets have shipped us a case of Model No. 1147 to be placed on SPECIAL SALE BY US AT \$1.00. This model sells in the REGULAR WAY at \$1.50 and is their best model at \$1.50. This special offering should be of interest to the ladies. The price applies only to the case lot sent for this SALE. No re-orders will be accepted at \$1.00. We would advise that you secure your size while we have it in stock.

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

You are offered
the right
hand



friendship

A man should know
his banker. Call in—
you will feel at
home in our

bank

A BANK is a public institution
with its interests bound up in
the community in which it exists

Every responsible citizen like yourself
has a right to all the help we can give.
Come in and let us know each other.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL \$100,000.00
SURPLUS \$22,000.00

In Stormy Weather

or in bright sunshiny
weather and at all seasons
of the year you can always
depend on Engelmann and
you can depend on Engel-
mann Quality as well and
reasonable prices too.
Whether its a large order
or a small order, if it's fresh
cut flowers for any occasion
or plants for any purpose
make your personal selection
or write or phone your
wants to

The Engelmann Greenhouses
1001 South Main Street,
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FENCE

Call and see the best made
The Best Galvanized

FENCE

at

Hudson & Welch

DON'T PULL OUT THE GRAY HAIRS

A Few Applications of a Simple
Remedy Will Bring Back
the Natural Color.

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen
will take its place" is an old saying,
which is, to a great extent, true, if no
steps are taken to stop the cause. When
gray hairs appear it is a sign that Na-
ture needs assistance. It is Nature's
call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless
hair, or hair that is falling out, is not
necessarily a sign of advancing age, for
there are thousands of elderly people
with perfect heads of hair without a
single streak of gray.

When gray hairs come, or when the
hair seems to be lifeless or dead, some
good, reliable hair-restoring treatment
should be resorted to at once. Special-
ists say that one of the best prepara-
tions to use is the old-fashioned "sage
tea" which our grandparents used. The
best preparation of this kind is Wyeth's
Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, a prepa-
ration of domestic sage and sulphur,
scientifically compounded with later dis-
covered hair tonics and stimulants, the
whole mixture being carefully balanced
and tested by experts.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is clean and
wholesome and perfectly harmless. It
refreshes dry, parched hair, removes
dandruff and gradually restores faded
or gray hair to its natural color.

Don't delay another minute. Start
using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur at
once and see what a difference a few
days' treatment will make in your hair.
This preparation is offered to the
public at fifty cents a bottle, and is
recommended and sold by all druggists.
Special Agent, Koch Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lett of Pickering
were in Maryville Monday.

Dynamited the Ice.

To save the north river bridge at
Quitman, dynamite was used Saturday
morning at Quitman to dislodge the
ice that had congregated in the Noda-
way river at a point north of that
bridge.

WHY IT SUCCEEDS.

Because it's for One Thing Only, and
Maryville People Appreciate This.
Nothing can be good for everything.
Doing one thing well brings success.
Doan's Kidney Pills do one thing
only.

They help sick kidneys.
They relieve backache, kidney and
bladder trouble.

Here is Maryville evidence to prove
it.

T. J. Clayton, carpenter, 308 South
Dewey street, Maryville, Mo., says:
"It is eight years since I procured
Doan's Kidney Pills from Love's drug
store (now Love & Gaugh's drug
store) and used them for kidney com-
plaint. They gave me great relief and
benefit, and they have prevented any
serious trouble since. Whenever I
feel in need of a kidney medicine I
take a few doses of Doan's Kidney
Pills and quickly get relief."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50
cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo,
New York, sole agents for the United
States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and
take no other.

Has Kansas City Guest.

Mr. P. D. Karshner of the Karshner
Motor Car company of Kansas City,
arrived Monday noon and will re-
main in the city until Tuesday even-
ing the guest of Homer Shippis, who
was in his employ for several months.

CATARH GONE.

No More Hawking and Snuffling When
You Breathe Hyomei.

Hyomei (pronounce it High-o-mei)
is guaranteed to end the misery of cat-
arrh.

Breathe it, destroy the catarrh
germs, and soon hawking and snuf-
fling will cease.

Breathe it, and crusts will no longer
form in the nose; mucus will not
lodge in the throat; all inflammation,
will leave the membrane of the nose
and throat and your head will feel
clear and fine.

Breathe it for coughs, colds and
sore throat; its soothing, healing, an-
tiseptic action is better than all the
stomach dosing remedies in creation,
and there isn't a particle of opium, co-
caine or other habit forming drug
in it.

Complete outfit, which includes in-
haler, \$1.00. Extra bottles of Hyomei
50 cents at the Otter-Henry Drug Co.
and druggists everywhere.

SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the qual-
ified voters of the Independent school
district of Maryville, Missouri, that at
the regular annual election of said
school district, to be held at the voting
places in the various wards in the city
of Maryville for the election of city
officers of said city of Maryville, on
TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1912,

There will be submitted to the qual-
ified voters who are taxpayers of said
school district voting at such election,
a proposition to levy a tax of six mills
on the dollar on the taxable property
of said school district, in addition to
the four mills authorized by law to be
levied by the board of directors of said
school district for the maintenance of
the schools and for school purposes in
said school district for the next ensu-
ing school year.

Also the election of two directors
for the term of three years each.

Done by order of the board of direc-
tors, March 13th, 1912.
W. A. BLAGG, President.
GEO. P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

HIGH WATER IS EXPECTED

Heavy Snows and Quick Thaw Threat-
en Missouri and Kansas.

SMALL STREAMS ALREADY FULL

Five inches of Snow Over Entire
Kaw Watershed—Railroads Pre-
paring to Dynamite Ice
Gorges.

Topeka, Mar. 25.—The Kaw river
is rising slowly again from the melt-
ing snows that cover the entire state.
The weather office here would
make no prediction as to the next
day or two might bring to people in
the Kaw valley. All the Kaw tribu-
taries are falling except the Blue,
which is rising rapidly at Blue Rapids
and points above.

The snow water is just getting in
to the river and will flow in great
quantities if the weather continues
warm. There is an average of five
inches of snow over the entire water-
shed, and with the present high
stage of the river and its tributaries
the quick melting of the snow may
cause all sorts of trouble and heavy
losses. The small streams along the
Kaw are flowing bank full from the
melting snow and much apprehension
has been caused here.

Railroads Got Off Easy.

The railroads got through the big
storm in good shape. There were
blockades on the Santa Fe, Rock Is-
land and Union Pacific lines early in
the morning, but the sun, snowplows
and gangs of men quickly removed
these, and all traffic is moving. Trains
are one to five hours late from all
parts of Kansas and also from the
east. The eastern roads are causing
the most delays to the Kansas west-
bound traffic as the snow in Missouri
has blocked most of the lines and
held up mail connections.

Ten inches of snow fell in Topeka,
the heaviest fall ever recorded in Kan-
sas in March in 25 years. The total
snowfall this winter has broken all
previous records by five inches, the
total fall being 42.7 inches for the
winter, while the highest previous re-
cord, 1899, was 38 inches.

Missouri Flood Expected.

Omaha, Mar. 25.—Much anxiety is
being caused by what is believed to
be almost a certainty of serious floods
in the Missouri river watershed. The
railroads particularly are expecting
trouble and for the protection of their
property dynamite, with which to
break up possible ice gorges, has been
distributed to various places, where
the necessity of such measures seems
likely.

There is more snow on the ground
now than at any time so late in the
season for many years and the ex-
pected warm weather soon to come
it is feared, will bring down a flood
from the North.

EXPECT BIG CHEESE FACTORY

McPherson Farmers Asked to Pledge
2,000 Cows Before Construc-
tion Begins.

McPherson, Kan., Mar. 25.—A \$300-
000 cheese factory for McPherson is
practically assured. Before beginning
the construction of the plant the
builders demanded that at least 2,000
cows should be pledged within a
radius of six miles of McPherson as
a source from which to obtain the
milk necessary for a plant of that
size. Through the influence of the
board of trade, agreements have been
made with the farmers within the
prescribed territory for 1,850 cows
and it is expected that next week will
see the required number pledged to
the support of the plant.

LEAVENWORTH TROOPS NOT TO GO

Seventh Infantry May Not be Needed
on Border—"Ready-to-Move"
Order Withdrawn.

Leavenworth, Mar. 25.—An order
was received at headquarters at Fort
Leavenworth that the seventh in-
fantry, which has been held in readi-
ness to move at a moment's notice,
may unpack. Every organization in
the post has been in readiness for
active service for almost two months.
The order is construed to mean that
the trouble in Mexico has subsided
and that no additional troops will be
required on the border.

Fuel is Exhausted.

Hill City, Kan., Mar. 25.—Only the
fact that the temperature is mild pre-
vents acute suffering in the towns
along the Lincoln branch of the Union
Pacific. The fuel supply is exhausted
and schools have closed. Farmers
are burning fence posts, trees and
whatever else is available.

Killed 600 in Battle.

Buenos Aires, Mar. 25.—Six hun-
dred were killed in the battle at
Asuncion, which resulted in a com-
plete victory for the revolutionary
forces over the Paraguayan govern-
ment troops.

Christian Scientist Suicides.
Galesburg, Ill., Mar. 25.—Mrs. Frank
Yates, formerly a reader in the Chris-
tian Science church, who has been
ill, killed herself by drinking poison.
She was 50 years old.

CAUSE FOR ALARM.

Loss of Appetite or Distress After Eat-
ing a Symptom That Should Not
Be Disregarded.

Appetite is just a natural desire for
food. Loss of appetite or stomach dis-
tress after eating indicate indigestion
or dyspepsia. Over-eating is a habit
very dangerous to a person's good gen-
eral health.

It is not what you eat, but what you
digest and assimilate that does you
good. Some of the strongest, heaviest,
and healthiest persons are moderate
eaters.

There is nothing that will cause
more trouble than a disordered stom-
ach, and many people daily contract
serious maladies simply through dis-
regard or abuse of the stomach.

We urge all who suffer from any
stomach derangement, indigestion, or
dyspepsia, whether acute or chronic,
to try Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, with
the distinct understanding that we will
refund their money without question
or formality, if after reasonable use of
this medicine, they are not perfectly
satisfied with the results. We recom-
mend them to our customers every
day, and have yet to hear of any one
who has not been benefited by them.
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out equal. They give very prompt
relief, adding to neutralize the gastric
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mote perfect nutrition, and eradicate
all unhealthy symptoms.

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EGGS FOR HATCHING
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Farm raised birds, the quality
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CLOSING MESSAGES

OF DR. JOHN P. D. JOHN ON SUNDAY AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

THEY WERE MUCH ENJOYED

Spoke on "The Worth of a Man," and on "A Fireproof Conviction"—Large Audiences.

Three large congregations assembled at the First Methodist church Sunday morning, afternoon and evening, to listen to the closing messages of Dr. John P. D. John.

The series of lectures given by Dr. John was very much enjoyed by those that attended, and they declared that they were the greatest addresses ever given in this city. The messages were very helpful and inspiring.

On Sunday morning Dr. John preached on the theme, "The Stream That Flows Uphill." He explained that there is force enough in the rays of the sun to lift, if brought under control, plates of iron 240 feet thick a mile above the surface of the earth inside a year, in spite of gravitation. He then insisted that it is the lifting power of the "Sun of Righteousness" that is raising the human race out of its fallen condition and up to constantly higher levels.

Dr. John took for his subject Sunday afternoon "The Worth of a Man." The speaker first explained that by man he meant human being, and in the course of his address, Dr. John said:

"A man is large or small according to the way you look at him. Two philosophers stood upon a mountain and looked at man. One said he is great and mighty; the other, he is insignificant as an apple. Both were right, for one looked through the small end of the telescope, and the second through the large end. The Atlantic is wide, if you must swim it, but the crossing is a matter of a few days by aid of steam and steel. A mountain is enormous beside a mole hill, insignificant beside the earth. Put an average man alongside Confucius, Socrates or Plato, and they are not to be seen, but a man is gigantic beside a dog or a mule. Man is great or small according to his limit. Limited by span and duration he is nothing.

"A man in the hands of God's law is helpless. You can bribe human legislatures, you can corrupt juries, but you cannot corrupt God's inexorable law. If a man steals a loaf send him to prison. If he steals a railroad, send him to the United States senate. It has been said that a rich man has offered \$1,000,000 for a sound stomach; but nature does not sell sound stomachs. They are not for sale. A queen offered part of her kingdom for a little longer span of life, but with no effect. Physical law is all-powerful, no man is an exception, and God's broom sweeps clean. Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. Pay day comes as surely as death. Right is right, and wrong is wrong. It is wrong for a corporation to cheat an individual, and it is equally wrong for you to cheat a corporation, if you can. Right has been right from the beginning and wrong will be wrong from eternity. Even the great Moses could not stand against the inexorable physical law of the Almighty, and He was the greatest man of his time."

Dr. John took for his closing lecture "A Fireproof Conviction."

The speaker started out to define conviction by telling of many things which people sometimes mistake for conviction.

Conviction, he said, is not a whim. You can prophesy where a conviction

will lead, but you cannot tell in what direction a whim will tend.

Conviction is the steamship with its bow pointed toward the port. A whim is the sailing vessel, tacking first to one side and then to another under every adverse wind, or no wind at all.

A whim is of spontaneous birth; conviction is born of deep experience. Conviction as exemplified in the lives of Luther, of Washington, of Abraham Lincoln, wrought religious, political and racial freedom.

So when conviction, embodied in the minds of a great and free people, shall be hurled against the Gibraltar of evil, the saloon, not all the devils of hell can prevent its destruction.

Conviction never compromises, either in the presence of man or devil, earth or hell.

It is better to be in the furnace with the God of fire than on the throne with the fire God of Nebuchadnezzar.

The speaker illustrated his points with the story of the work of a noted Scotch preacher who first went to the Klondike region among the rough miners and how his native conviction of right and wrong was honored and prevailed against all the rugged forces of evil even in that wild country.

TO HOLD CONVENTION

On May 31, June 1 and 2, But Place Not Determined On—Have Prepared Program.

A cabinet meeting of the Maryville district Epworth League of the First M. E. church was held Saturday in County Superintendent W. M. Oaker's office. The members of the cabinet present were: Rev. A. C. Brown of Bolckow, president; Miss Maud Roach of Maryville, secretary; Miss Bessie Cox, Maryville; Miss Nellie Wiley, Clearmont, and Mr. Sinnerly of Fillmore.

They decided to hold the annual convention on May 31, June 1 and 2, and the place is not definitely decided on. They also prepared a program which will be given out later. Dr. J. C. English of Cameron has been secured for an address at the convention.

Wells Not Operated On.

W. R. Wells was not operated on Saturday at St. Luke's hospital at Chicago. After an examination had been made, Dr. McArthur said that Mr. Wells had cancer of the bowels and an operation would not be performed for three weeks.

Dr. Dean Has New Car.

A handsome new automobile attracted much attention on our streets Monday morning. It was Dr. Leslie Dean's car, a thirty horse power Maxwell, of soft gray finish, and is a beauty. Dr. Dean has had the car for some time, but this was the first time that the roads about town were fit to give the car a trial.

To Allender Residence.

Mr. H. C. Bowers, the west side hardware man, and his family will occupy the residence of Dr. Lafe Allender, on South Fillmore street. Mr. Bowers and his family have been living in the Heath-Masters place, on South Main street, which has been leased by Mr. Myers and family, who recently moved into the Lewis Miller residence, on West Jenkins street. Mr. Miller and his family, who have been living in the Burnham residence, on West First street, will soon remove to their own home.

Going to Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. H. K. Taylor and daughter, Miss Emma Lee Taylor, went to St. Joseph Monday evening for a short visit with Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. L. C. Gabbert. They will then go to Excelsior Springs for a several weeks' stay at the springs.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—22,000. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.
Hogs—58,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.55. Estimate tomorrow, 18,000.
Sheep—33,000. Market 10c to 15c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—8,000. Market steady.
Hogs—8,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.50.

Sheep—7,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,100. Market steady.
Hogs—11,000. Top, \$7.55.
Sheep—9,500. Market lower.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

WILL MAKE MISTAKE

IF THEY DON'T VOTE FOR CONSOLIDATION, WRITES DR. TAYLOR

MEANS A FORWARD STEP

In Rural Education in This County—Dr. Taylor is Visiting in Illinois and Indiana.

"The people of Pickering, Elmo, Skidmore and other places will make a great mistake if they do not vote for consolidation on April 2," writes President H. K. Taylor from Rockford, Ill. Dr. Taylor is in Illinois studying the condition of the rural schools that are being consolidated. Last week Dr. Taylor visited the Harlem consolidated district, made by uniting four schools, and he writes that everybody of that community was enthusiastic for it.

"I'd rather walk or ride three miles to this school than eighty rods to the old one," said one little girl, and when the question of consolidation was put to a vote among the pupils of the schools every child was in favor of it. In the Harlem district there is no transportation, and the pupils furnish their own transportation, but yet they greatly prefer this to the old plan. From Rockford Dr. Taylor goes to Indiana, where he intends to make a trip to school in the back with the children, thereby getting in close touch with every phase of the new plan.

"Let everybody pull for consolidation, as it means a forward step in rural education that cannot be estimated in its value to the coming generation," says Dr. Taylor.

ORGANIZE AT HOPKINS.

To Create More Among Farmers and Boys in Corn Growing Contest.

At a meeting held at Hopkins Saturday of the farmers and boys of that township it was decided that a committee be appointed to have charge, and that money be raised in that township in addition to the county prizes, so as to create more interest there for the county corn growing contest to be held in Maryville this fall.

The committee selected was composed of one from each school district, and they are as follows:

Ross Wells, Excelsior.
Ferrell Malone, Prairie Flower.
Mac Russell, Fairview.
Ralph Rakekin, Prairie Star.
Otho Clymens, Highland.
Ray King, Hopkins.

County Superintendent Oakerson attended the meeting. It was suggested that money be raised for township prizes and that the committee take up this work at once.

Other townships will probably follow the lead of Hopkins township and organize. In this way the boys and girls will receive township prizes in addition to the county prizes in the corn growing and domestic science contests.

Traded Off One Rubber.

The fellow that traded off one of his rubbers at the First M. E. church Friday night for one of Rev. Lee Harrel's isn't big enough to fill the one he got. It takes a big man to fill Rev. Harrel's shoes. If you saw the reverend gentleman stepping firmly on one foot and mighty easy on the other Saturday you may know that one foot was being considerably squeezed. And if you saw a fellow going around dragging one of his feet to keep his rubber on—why, that's the fellow that traded with him.

Tribute to John Lowe.

A nice tribute to the memory of Mr. John Lowe appeared in the True Voice of Omaha of Friday. The young man was a member of the freshman class of Creighton college. He stood high in college athletics and dramatic art and gave evidence of a bright future in all college affairs and would have fitted himself for a high place in life. The active pallbearers were members of his class. The entire student body of Creighton college attended the funeral services.

It will be remembered by many of our young people that the young man was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lowe of Omaha, formerly of Maryville, and he was born during their residence in this city, about twenty years ago. He leaves five brothers and sisters.

Misses Maud and May Evans and Miss Lida Ambrose of Bedison were in Maryville on business Saturday.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

The U. C. T. Met Saturday Night—Hal Hooker Heads the Lodge.

Officers were elected Saturday evening by the U. C. T. lodge, which met at the K. P. hall, over Childress' store. They will serve for the coming year and those elected follow:

Hal Hooker, S. C.
S. O. Hutchison, J. C.
R. M. Crail, conductor.
Earl Heath, page.
E. G. Orear, secretary.
E. B. Sheldon and George J. Moore, members of the executive committee for two years.

The representatives selected to go to the grand council, which meets in Joplin in June, were: Irvin Bartram, W. J. Hutton and J. H. Thorp. Alternates, J. H. Aley, Hal Hooker and S. O. Hutchison.

The degree of past counselor was conferred on E. G. Orear after the election of officers.

REV. PARVIN MADE STATEMENT

At His Morning Service Sunday, on the Execution of Rasco.

Rev. W. J. Parvin, pastor of the Methodist church, South, in an interview given today, spoke of his attitude on the execution of Rasco, which prompted his sermon on Sunday on the legal execution of the condemned man.

"Were I sheriff of Nodaway county I could execute the prisoner," said Rev. Parvin, "but I would be certain that in doing so I had no enmity toward the condemned man. Were I to execute the prisoner with malice in my heart, and in any other way than as an official I would be a moral murderer, and there is danger for Sheriff Tilson. Rasco has been vindictive toward Mr. Tilson, and I hope that the sheriff does not hold anything against the prisoner for that reason."

"I do not blame Governor Hadley for not commuting the sentence of Rasco. I do, however, blame the public sentiment that made it impossible for the governor to act without peril to the officers and all concerned in the unfortunate affair. I not only signed the note addressed to Governor Hadley by the ministers of the city, but I, considerable time before this, wrote Governor Hadley asking for a commutation of his sentence. Were it all to do over, and knowing as I do that the action I was to take would precipitate a mob, if I succeeded, I would not change my attitude in the matter."

"I do not favor capital punishment. I signed the note to Governor Hadley along with other ministers as an individual acting on my own initiative and because I am opposed to capital punishment, as I stated."

"It will take years to wear away the thirst for blood that has been engendered. The impress of this awful thing on the minds of children cannot be estimated. I have often wondered if the pall cast on Rasco's mother by the hanging of the Talbott brothers here about the time of Rasco's birth did not act as a prenatal influence on the mind of the unborn child. What will its effect be on those to be born under similar circumstances?"

It developed today that one of Rasco's attorneys has been framing out Rasco's spiritual advice. This attorney first approached Rev. Parvin and asked him if, under certain conditions, Rasco's spiritual welfare might be assured. Rev. Parvin's reply was that a full and complete confession of all his sins would be necessary.

"We will call on you when we need your services," was the reply of the attorney.

"It was for this reason that I did not and have not called on Rasco," said Rev. Parvin today. "It would have been ungentlemanly to have forced my services under the circumstances, knowing that my terms were not to be complied with."

DEATH OF OLD RESIDENT.

George W. Litts Passed Away at Home of Daughter, Near Barnard.

George W. Litts, an old resident of near Barnard, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. A. Council, at 11:30 o'clock Monday forenoon. The arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

Mr. Litts is survived by four children, who are Ben F. Litts of St. Joseph, former county treasurer of Nodaway county; Alex Litts of St. Joseph, Mrs. C. F. Jackson of Savannah and Mrs. G. A. Council of Barnard. Mrs. F. E. Whitechurch of Maryville is a granddaughter of the late Mr. Litts.

Miss Anna Collins, a business college student, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Collins, near Pickering.

EVERYTHING READY FOR THE EXECUTION OF RASCO

Hez Still Says That He Is Not Guilty and That He Is Not Afraid To Die--To Make A Public Statement of His Innocence, He Says

Hez Rasco said in the county jail Monday afternoon to a representative of this paper that he had no statement to make other than the one he made last week, that he was not guilty. He said that he was prepared to die, and that he could look his God in the face. He seemed very cheerful.

He requested the representative of this paper to say for him that there is no truth in the article printed in the St. Joseph Gazette this morning in regard to him confessing to his father, brothers and an uncle. He said that he had never confessed and that he was not going to confess, as he was not guilty.

When The Democrat-Forum representative was present at the jail an uncle and aunt of Hez, and his cousins and brothers called on him. J. K. Pierson, a brother of Hez's mother, and Mrs. Dollie Jackson, a sister of his mother, and Mrs. Jessie Spurlock, a cousin, all of Sidney, Ia., and Lee and Harry Rasco, brothers of Hez, were in the party. They talked in regard to the funeral arrangements, and if there was anything that he wanted. He replied no, he guessed not. While they were talking about these arrangements Hez never quivered.

It is expected that Hez will make a public statement on the scaffold in the morning. He said Sunday that he would say that he was innocent and that he was not afraid to die.

The question today seems to be whether Rasco will confess. Judge Saylor, one of his attorneys, said this morning, after calling on Rasco at the jail:

"Rasco will not confess, in my opinion. We have given him every opportunity to do so and have begged him to do so. I personally have become very close to the unfortunate man, and he refuses every plea that I have made. He still maintains that he is innocent."

Rasco said to Judge Saylor: "I am not afraid of the gallows, and I dread only one thing, and that is the effect of this on my poor father."

Prayed for His Enemies.

Rev. Lee Harrel of the First Baptist church spent some time with Hez Rasco in his cell Sunday evening, as he was going to leave that night for Platte City and knew he could not see him Monday.

After some length of time spent in reading from the Scriptures and expounding to the prisoners, the minister knelt in prayer, and after praying awhile he asked Rasco to lead in prayer. The prisoner responded without hesitation, and began by praying Our Lord's Prayer. Then he asked God to especially bless the ministers who were leading him in the way of life and their families. Then he asked God's blessing on all who hated him and upon those who would execute him on the gallows, and on all who had anything to do with charging him with the crime, and added: "For thou knowest, O Father, that I am not guilty of the crime with which I am charged, so forgive them, for they know not what they do."

Rev. Harrel was deeply impressed by the apparent sincerity of the prisoner's prayer.

Rev. Harrel left for Platte City Sunday night to preach the funeral of the late Mrs. Dr. Fields, who died in Joplin Friday night. The funeral services were held this Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Monday morning a message came for Rev. Harrel to come to Smithville, Mo., to conduct a funeral service Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock for the late John Farmer, who died Sunday night. Mrs. Harrel forwarded the message to her husband and he received it at Platte City, just after he had closed the service of the Platte City funeral. Rev. Harrel promised relatives of both of the deceased persons, more than a week ago, that he would preach the funeral sermons for them if the funerals were not held on Sunday. This explanation is made for Rev.

Harrel's absence at this time, so that no one will think that he is shirking his duty. When he took leave of Hez Rasco Sunday night he told him that he expected to return on the 8:30 Burlington train Monday night.

Rev. Claude J. Miller of the First Christian church received a phone message from Rev. Harrel at noon Monday explaining why he would not be able to return to Maryville Monday night, and Rev. Miller wished The Democrat-Forum to tell it.

Hez Is Nervous.

Rasco didn't retire Saturday night until 3 o'clock in the morning, and then didn't take his clothes off. He said that he didn't sleep very much. On Sunday night Hez retired about 11 o'clock and then only rested fairly well during the night. For breakfast Monday he had one egg, a dish of oatmeal, two slices of bread and butter and a cup of coffee.

Sunday afternoon Hez was nervous, but by evening he was more cheerful. Wrote to His Father.

Rasco wrote to his father, Henry Rasco, and to his half-sister, bidding them good-bye and protesting his innocence. The letters were of cheerful nature and were written Saturday night. Henry Rasco, the aged father of Hez is not expected to be here Tuesday, and none of the family except Lee and Harry Rasco, brothers of Hez, who are to take charge of the body.

When his attorneys called on him Sunday afternoon he inquired as to his father's injury and if he was badly hurt. When the attorneys asked Hez if there was any one he wanted to see, he replied:

"No, I guess not. There are some I would like to see, but I guess it is impossible, and I will cast it off my mind."

He was referring to his father and his half-sister, to whom he seems deeply attached.

All Arrangements Made.

Sheriff Tilson said this morning that all arrangements were made and everything was ready. The time for the execution has not been set and will not be until this evening.

The two physicians selected are Dr. William Wallis, Jr., and County Physician C. V. Martin.

A test of the rope was made this morning by George Evans and George Finney.

Wire Fence Around Inclosure.

A wire fence was built around the inclosure of the scaffold, so as to keep people away. Everything is being done so as to prevent any trouble. It is expected that a number of people will be in Maryville merely for curiosity.

Extra Police Force.

Mayor Robey and Chief of Police John Wallace have selected several men who will serve on the police force Tuesday. It is expected that many people will be in the city, but no trouble is looked for. Some of those who will serve are: John Borrusch, E. C. Moberly, Eph Tilton, A. O. Mason, Bert Rowley, Frank Bolin, William Culver, Frank Ewing and Bert Mack.

Sheriff Thiesen Here.

Sheriff Otto Thiesen of Buchanan county, Jack Plotell of St. Joseph and Editor Charles Adams of the St. Joseph News-Press arrived in Maryville Monday noon and will remain until Tuesday forenoon. Sheriff Thiesen visited Hez Rasco Monday afternoon. He held Sheriff Thiesen in high regard and was very glad to see him, and again thanked him for the kind treatment he had received from him during the months he was held in the Buchanan county jail.

John Hubbell and his son-in-law, Andy Baer, of Barnard, came to Maryville Monday to remain until after the execution. John Hubbell is the father of Oda Hubbell, who, with his family, were murdered and their bodies burned, the crime for which Hez Rasco is condemned.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; colder Tuesday.

Special

Watch this paper for advertisement of our sale, beginning March 30 and last one week.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Candidate for Chief of Police.
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of chief of police.
ELMER C. MOBERLY.

For Councilman.
I hereby announce myself for councilman for the Fourth ward.
J. E. MINTYRE.

For City Marshal.
We are authorized to announce that Charles Ross will be a candidate for city marshal, subject to the decision of the voters at the city election, April 2.

Here From Topeka.
William Kelley of Topeka, Kan., a former circuit clerk of Nodaway county, arrived in Maryville Monday noon and will be here until Tuesday evening. Mr. Kelley and his family moved to Topeka last December from Ponca City, Okla., where they moved from Maryville some two and a half years ago. They were not enamored by Oklahoma and Mr. Kelley disposed of his interest in the banking business there and went to Topeka. He is in the railway offices of the Santa Fe at Topeka. They got just as near old Nodaway county as they could, and we venture to say they will be back here some day to live, and all their friends will be glad of it.

For Sheriff Nodaway County.
Martin H. Borusch wishes to announce to the public that it is rumored that he is out for chief of police, but that is a mistake. He says he is out as a candidate for and will run for the office of sheriff of Nodaway county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hill, living west of Maryville, left for Corydon, Ia., Monday on account of the serious illness of Mr. Hill's brother-in-law, Samuel Gookin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hepburn returned to their home Monday, after an over-Sunday visit with their daughter, Mrs. D. E. Hotchkiss and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Groves of Hopkins were business visitors in Maryville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goforth of Bolckow arrived in Maryville Saturday noon to spend a few days with the family of their son, Mr. W. E. Goforth.

MARK'S

WANTED

Everybody to visit our new store on the south side of the square where we have just opened the nicest stock of 5 and 10 cent goods ever brought to Maryville.

Nothing but bargains in every line.
Sheet music a specialty, 10c. 8. side square.

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Let us have a look at your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediameter and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

All work guaranteed.

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"Just a step past Main"

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Elks' Dance Wednesday Eve.
An informal dance will be given at the Elks' club Wednesday evening.

Penelope Club to Meet.
The Penelope club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. L. Holmes.

Married by Dr. Ford.
Miss Emily M. Ditto and Perry F. Jackson of this city were married Sunday noon at the First M. E. parsonage by Dr. J. S. Ford, pastor of the First M. E. church. There were present at the ceremony Miss Minnie Ditto, sister of the bride, and Miss Nina Jackson, sister of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bratcher and Miss Dena Hartman. The bride is a daughter of Samuel Ditto, who lives six miles east of the city, while the groom is a son of George Jackson of Maryville. The young couple will live on East First street in this city.

P. E. O. Meeting.
Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. J. C. Denham and Miss May Anthony were hostesses Saturday afternoon to the members of the P. E. O. chapter. During the business session Miss Fannie Hope was initiated into the chapter. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in a social manner, dominoes being played at three tables. Mrs. Charles Wadley scored high and was presented a set of dominoes. The hostesses served refreshments at the conclusion of the games. The next meeting will be held April 13, at the home of Mrs. J. C. Denham.

Celebrated Birthday Anniversary.
Mr. and Mrs. Berney Harris entertained a number of friends Friday evening to celebrate the birthday anniversary of their eldest son, Irvin Harris. The guests were members of the faculty of our public schools who are or have been teachers of their four sons, Irvin, Berney, Jr., Robert and Joe, and their music teacher, Miss Lottie Perrin. After an evening playing dominoes, the hostess, assisted by Mrs. N. C. Covey, served refreshments. Miss Golda Airy and Superintendent C. A. Hawkins made the highest score at the games. Those in the company were Superintendent Hawkins, Miss Calla Varner, Miss Lillian Lindholm, Miss Margaret Thompson, Miss Hazel Petty, Miss Winifred Ashby, Miss Mary Ford, Miss Antoinette Craig, Miss Lois Halley, Miss Golda Airy, Miss Lela Bonewitz, Miss Nelle Hudson, Miss Julia Denny, Miss Lottie Perrin.

Mrs. Garten No Better.
Mrs. Thomas Garten, living east of Pickering, who has been quite sick all winter, does not improve.

The Awakening of John Bond Tuesday night at Fern theater.

James Heffern of Sioux City, Ia., arrived Saturday night for a three days' visit with his mother, Mrs. Michael Heffern and family.

Miss Addie Petree, a State Normal student, spent Sunday with her parents at Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Neeley of Blanchard, Ia., spent Sunday in Maryville the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frank.

Mrs. Paul Ream of Kansas City is visiting her father, Joseph Jackson, Sr., and family.

Miss Charlotte Miller, a State Normal student, spent Sunday with her parents at Hopkins.

J. I. Bennett of Bolckow arrived in Maryville Monday noon for a two days' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butts of Hopkins were shopping in Maryville Monday.

Mrs. Art Yeager of Hopkins was shopping in Maryville Friday evening.

Andrew Billey and Will Growney of Clyde were in Maryville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sargent of Bolckow came to Maryville Monday.

The Awakening of John Bond Tuesday night at Fern theater.

FOUND—Gold locket containing woman's picture. Call at Democrat-Forum. 25-27

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

SAMUEL L. RALSTON.



Mr. Ralston is the Democratic candidate for governor of Indiana.

ENTIRE TRAIN TURNED OVER

SOFT ROADBED CAUSED INJURY TO TWENTY PERSONS.

Seven Women in St. Joseph Hospitals in Dangerous Condition—Was Taking Siding.

St. Joseph, Mar. 25.—A soft roadbed, a derail track and a switch thrown at the wrong moment resulted in the overturning of a whole train at Cosby, Mo., ten miles from St. Joseph, late in the afternoon and the injury of 20 persons, five of them seriously. Seven women are at local hospitals in a dangerous condition, while others, less seriously injured, were given medical attention and taken home.

The train, No. 113 on the Chariton branch of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, was taking a side track for another train when the accident occurred. The railroad is making a fill about a mile in length at Cosby and the roadbed is soft as a result. A derail track leads from the switch to the edge of the embankment. The brakeman, hurrying to let his train on the passing track, let the switch bar wobble in his hands after the engine had passed, and the cars took the direct track, which gave way, pitched in under the cars and caused the baggage car and two coaches to turn over on their sides. The passengers were nearly all shoppers from nearby towns.

Passengers from the other train and the engine crews were promptly at work extricating the injured, a dozen or more of whom were brought into St. Joseph. Others were taken to the depot at Cosby and there given relief.

SNOW ENOUGH FOR ENTIRE WEST

Kansas City eGts Deepest Snow in History, 25 Inches—Less Than One Inch at St. Joseph.

Kansas City Gets Deepest Snow in snowing at 4 a. m. Kansas City's deep-snow record had been broken by five inches, and the winter record shot to figures far beyond the memory of the weather office man.

Since January 1 Kansas City has had 32 snows with a total depth of five feet, one inch and a fraction.

This last precipitation represented practically 24 hours of continuous snowing. It was a wet, heavy snow that packed as it fell.

The 25-inch snowfall represents two and one-half inches of rain. This high percentage is due to the abnormally wet condition of the snow. It was largely a local snow and the fall in the Kaw and Missouri river valleys was light. As near by as St. Joseph only three-tenths of an inch fell.

Kansas City's rainfall—represented by snow—was the highest in the United States with one exception—Memphis.

WHIPPED BOY TO MAKE HIM CRY

School Teacher at Easton, Mo., Indicted by Grand Jury for Brutal Punishment.

St. Joseph, Mo., Mar. 25.—Miss Iva White, a school teacher of Easton, this county, was indicted by the grand jury for an alleged brutal whipping of Harold White, a pupil. Witnesses declare that the boy said he liked to be stood in a corner and that the teacher in an effort to make him cry whipped him for several minutes, being forced to take a rest between efforts. Miss White says she was compelled to whip the boy to maintain discipline.

To Rival Reno.

Phoenix, Ariz., Mar. 25.—Arizona is destined to become a rival of Nevada as a mecca for marital discontents, if a bill introduced by Senator Henry Levin of Mojave county becomes a law. The bill provides that an application for divorce may be made after six months' residence in the state and four months' residence in the county.

McCurain Death List 71.
McCurain, Ok., Mar. 25.—The official list of dead in the coal mine disaster is 71. Fifty-five escaped alive. Sixty-nine bodies have been recovered. The work of relief is now well in hand.

Spring Coats are Here

Our Spring Coats are arriving daily, and we invite your inspection.

Separate Skirts

In all the Newest approved materials and shapes in stock. Our showing will delight you. So will the PRICE.

Ready to Wear Dresses

Ready to wear dresses are arriving daily by express. A visit to this department will be of interest to you whether you wish to buy or not. You will find here the very latest NEW YORK CREATIONS.

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New features this season gives an added interest to the Separate Waist wearer.

REMEMBER THIS—Every garment shown in our READY TO WEAR SECTIONS has been bought within the past THREE WEEKS, and on the very latest Models.

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

Interesting Dress Goods News

We beg to announce the opening of our line of Dress Fabrics for the Spring Season, 1912.

Each season we feel that we have accomplished the most that can be accomplished in the way of assembling an attractive as well as popular-priced line, but our efforts seem to make it possible to eclipse previous records.

The range of plain fabrics for this Spring Season will be exceptionally broad. As you are aware, we are usually first in showing any Novelty of merit and invariably a larger as well as a more exclusive selection than is brought before you in any other line.

While we emphasize the fact that our line will be the broadest and most handsomely selected that will be brought before you for the Spring Season, we wish to emphasize equally the fact that our business is conducted upon the broad and sound basis of value for the money and service in your interest.

We offer the most complete and satisfactory service to be had in Dress Goods and we invite the continuance and increase of your patronage strictly upon the basis of better values and better service than you can get anywhere else.

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

P. S.—Be sure to read our Corset ad in this issue.

City Tax.

The delinquent taxpayers have eight more days in which to pay their taxes before the books will be closed and delinquent list given to an attorney for collection.
J. G. GREMS,
City Collector.

Mrs. F. M. Martin and daughter, Miss Mabel, and Mrs. Martin's grandson, Master Forrest Martin, went to St. Joseph Monday evening for a few days' visit with Attorney B. Raleigh Martin and family.

Mr. Fred Smith of Chicago visited in Maryville over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith.

Mr. J. M. Davis of Bolckow was a Maryville business visitor Monday.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c

City Collector.

I wish to announce to the electors of the city that I will be a candidate for the office of city collector, and would be pleased to receive your support April 2.
J. G. GREMS.

Called by Illness.

Mrs. Thomas Workman went to Pickering Monday on account of the serious illness of the 2-year-old child of her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Workman.

Mrs. J. H. Carmichael, living near Pickering, was in Maryville Monday returning home from a visit in Stanberry with her mother, Mrs. A. C. Hart.

WHY NOT TRY POPHAM'S ASTHMA REMEDY

Gives Prompt and Positive Relief in Every Case. Sold by Druggists. Price \$1.00. Trial Package by Mail 10c.
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For sale by Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Master Julian Parvin went to Kansas City Friday evening to spend a few days with relatives.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Metallic Boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.
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Matters not whether you
want

Sugar, Flour, Tea,
Coffee

or any other article

You can SAVE MONEY
on every item by ordering
from us.

Tomorrow and
Wednesday

You can buy

One dozen extra good DILL PICKLES
for10c
Three Family WHITE FISH for...10c
Two No. 1 NORWAY MACKEREL 15c
4 lbs CALIFORNIA PINK BEANS 25c
3 1/2 lbs new LIMA BEANS.....25c
25c sack fresh MEAL for.....20c
1 lb No. 1 GUNPOWDER TEA, worth
50c, for27c
50c lb can ROYAL or PRICE'S BAK-
ING POWDER39c
Quart can pure OLIVE OIL for...75c
5 lbs new 1912 CABBAGE for...25c
Florida grown ripe TOMATOES, per
pound15c
Pint fancy BULK OLIVES for...15c
12 lbs No. 1 quality SEEDLESS RAI-
SINS\$1.00
4 lbs new SANTA CLARA PRUNES
for25c
WHITE CLOVER HONEY, frame, 15c
Quart cans best SWEET POTATOES
for11c
Quart cans best HOMINY, 4 for, 25c

We Solicit Mail Orders
Securely Pack and Deliver Goods
to Railway Station Same Day
Order is Received.

Strictly pure LARD in pails, 3-lb, 35c;
5 lbs, 55c; 10 lbs.....\$1.05
BULK LARD, 9 lbs for.....95c
Fancy evaporated N. Y. RASPBERR-
RIES, per lb, 35c; 3 lbs.....\$1.00
fresh LETTUCE, RADISHES, Etc.,
daily.

OLD VIRGINIA CHERROOTS (good
smoke), each1c
Good ONION SETS, 2 quarts.....15c
Complete line GARDEN SEEDS, 2
pkgs, 5c; dozen for.....20c

We are today unloading the
finest car load of Table Potatoes
we have had this season. Large,
Smooth, White Burbanks, will
cook up mealy. Special price by
sack, 2 1/2 bushels,
per bushel.....**\$1.35**

Seed Potatoes

Obios, Early Six Weeks, and Bliss
Triumphs at 1-3 less than today's
market values.

Fancy CALIFORNIA SWEET OR-
ANGES, doz.....25c
Choice EATING APPLES, doz, 20c;
peck60c
Quart cans TABLE PEARS in syrup
for12c
Quart cans water packed YELLOW
PEELED PEACHES, cans filled,
2 cans for.....25c
Quart cans YELLOW TABLE
PEACHES in light syrup, can, 15c
Quart cans EARLY RED BEETS, 9c;
6 for 50c; doz.....95c
New PEARL HOMINY, 5 lbs.....15c
Fresh FLAKED HOMINY, 4 lbs.....15c
7 lbs STEEL CUT OATS for...25c
48-lb sack SUN KIST FLOUR...\$1.25
98-lb sack SUN KIST FLOUR...\$2.45
48-lb sack SAFEGUARD PATENT
FLOUR\$1.20
98-lb sack SAFEGUARD PATENT
FLOUR\$2.35
12 lbs CAKE AND BISCUIT PRE-
PARED FLOUR45c
25-lb sack No. 1 SALT for.....18c
50-lb sack No. 1 SALT for.....35c
1 bbl No. 1 SALT for.....\$1.30
14-lb linen sack BUNKER HILL TA-
BLE SALT for20c

THE TOWNSEND CO.
THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH
STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

TEDDY'S PLATFORM FAILED TO HOLD

Three Thousand People in Maine See
Colonel Turned Down.

ROOSEVELT WAS EMBARRASSED

Had Just Taken His Seat When
Speaker's Rostrum Collapsed—
Audience Frightened But T.
R. is Uninjured.

Portland, Maine, Mar. 25.—With a
crash the immense stage of the audi-
torium collapsed here letting Col.
Roosevelt down with it.

The ex-president had entered the
hall just a moment before. A throng
of 3,000 that jammed the auditorium
was standing upon chairs, waving hats
and handkerchiefs and cheering the
colonel madly.

Roosevelt waved at the crowd and
had just taken his seat in a chair to-
ward the middle of the stage, when
the flooring of the platform began to
sag.

"Look out!" yelled men in the hall.
Their warning came just as the wood-
en horses supporting the stage gave
way.

Heels in Air.

A ripping sound, followed by a
crash echoed through the hall. The
platform fell to the floor level. Colo-
nel Roosevelt, who had grasped the
sides of his chair when the warning
was sounded and had tried to rise,
was precipitated backwards. He clung
desperately to the chair.

When the stage settled on the floor,
the colonel found himself in the
somewhat embarrassing position of
showing his heels to the audience. He
struggled and quickly extricated him-
self.

With a leap toward the front of the
stage, which had partly escaped the
sagging, the colonel cried out as his
face broke into a smile:

"It's all right. Nothing but the
floor gave way. Our campaign still is
in the ring."

Reassured the Crowd.

The audience, packed in so tight
that there was scarcely room to move,
had at the collapse of the stage, be-
gun to shriek. The colonel's reassur-
ance that nothing calamitous had
happened quickly had a salutary
effect. The throng began to cheer.

Roosevelt stood at the front of the
stage looking at the wreckage behind
him and then nodding to the audience.
The crowd howled the louder. For
five minutes the cheering went on,
Roosevelt standing the while with
one hand upon a wooden pedestal
which had been rescued from the
crash.

BURDEN TO FALL ON CONSUMER

Increased Factory Cost Due to Tex-
tile Strike Will Total Nearly
\$2,000,000 Within Year.

Boston, Mar. 25.—The great Law-
rence strike, which brought increased
wages for 275,000 textile workers in
New England, was officially declared
off at all mills in Lawrence. Ad-
vances in wages or reduction in hours
to paper mill employees, bagging and
burlap workers, machinists and opera-
tives in other industries are all trace-
able, directly or indirectly, to the
movement which had its origin in
Lawrence. The total number of per-
sons thus to benefit is considerably
upward of 300,000.

Advances in the price of woolen
and cotton goods which have been
made, or are in prospect, will place
upon the ultimate consumer much of
the burden of the additional cost to
the textile manufacturers. This will
aggregate between 10 and 12 million
dollars during the next year.

One of Allen Gang Escapes.

Galax, Va., Mar. 25.—Claude Allen,
the 22-year-old son of Floyd Allen and
one of those indicted for the Hillsville
courthouse murders, has cleanly
eluded all pursuers but his uncle,
Sidna Allen, and cousins, Wesley Ed-
ward and Friel Allen, are so closely
pressed on the south side of the Blue
Ridge that they probably will be cap-
tured within three days.

Indians Beg to Dance.

Thomas, Ok., Mar. 25.—Cheyenne
and Arapahoe Indians, numbering
about 500, are meeting here to select
delegates to Washington this week to
protest against an order from the gov-
ernment putting a stop to gift dances
and other dances. The Indians assert
that gift dances are as dear to them
as the white man's Christmas is to
him.

Big Dam Develops Leak.

Keokuk, Ia., Mar. 25.—A fissure
through which water was seeping was
discovered in the main cofferdam of
the \$25,000,000 Mississippi river power
dam now under construction here. A
big force of men is dumping cement
into the break in hope of stopping the
leak, and dynamite within the coffer-
dam has been removed.

Amundsen Will Lecture.

Washington, Mar. 25.—R. Amund-
sen, discoverer of the South pole, will
visit the United States next January
and deliver his first North American
lecture on the successful Antarctic
expedition before the National Geo-
graphic society in Washington.

MEXICAN REBELS CLAIM VICTORY

Many Dead After Three Days of
Continual Fighting.

CAMPA DYNAMITES TROOP TRAIN

Revolutionary General Then Destroys
Railroad in Rear of Federals—
Another Fierce Battle
Expected.

Jimenez, Mex., Mar. 25.—The rebels
after three days of fighting now
claim victory. There are many dead
on both sides. Gen. Gonzales Salas,
the federal leader, and late Mexican
minister of war, is among the
wounded. He resigned his portfolio
to take the field.

Sixty federal dead were accounted
for when the insurgents loaded a light
engine with 40 boxes of dynamite
and sent it headlong into an on-com-
ing armored train, loaded with fed-
eral soldiers. Gen. Campa fell back
to the town of Corralitos, built on an
eminence and more easily defended
than Escalon.

The federals entered Escalon and
2,000 strong, loaded on three freight
trains and, preceded by an armored
train of three cars, began to follow
up the retreating rebels.

Turned Engine Loose.

Campa secured a light engine and
an engineer who agreed to accept the
hazardous task of starting it after it
had been loaded with the explosive.
He ran it until a down grade was
reached and then, opened the throttle,
jumped for his life. The wild locomotive
tore down the track at terrific
speed, telescoped the engine and first
car of the federal train and derailed
the last two cars. At the same in-
stant the dynamite exploded.

Gen. Campa justifies this method by
declaring that the federals set fire to
sage brush, burning to death their
own and rebel wounded. When the
armored train was destroyed, the
main body of government troops in
the three trains detained, and pre-
pared to defend themselves.

Great Battle Likely.

Meanwhile Gen. Campa had sent a
strong detachment on a detour to get
in their rear and destroy the railroad
behind them. It was reported that
the federals will find themselves
hemmed in by superior force.

The rebels have captured 30 prison-
ers six of them wounded, and an offi-
cer; captured two rapid fliers and
claim to have killed about 100 of the
enemy.

News is Censored.

Mexico City, Mar. 25.—Press censor-
ship on the part both of the Mexican
government and of the revolutionary
commander, Pascuala Orozco, in the
north, conceal developments in the
region around Jimenez, which prom-
ises to become the scene of the final
struggle for supremacy.

NO TECHNICALITIES FOR HIM

Unknown Negro Who Shot Ft. Smith
Officer Promptly Strung
Up by Mob.

Fort Smith, Ark., Mar. 25.—An un-
known negro who shot and killed
Andy Carr, deputy constable, here,
was hanged to a trolley pole at mid-
night on the main street of the town.
The mob—about 1,000 strong—broke
into the city jail and dragged the
prisoner to the street, where in the
view of thousands of people, includ-
ing hundreds of guests at the win-
dows of the two leading hotels the
negro was hanged. The police force
was helpless before the mob. The
negro was brutally beaten by the mob,
which had difficulty in getting the
rope over the trolley pole.

Woodmen Against New Rates.

Guthrie, Ok., Mar. 25.—The Modern
Woodmen of America will hold a state
convention in Guthrie April 22 to or-
ganize the 800 camps in this state to
fight for a reconsideration of the ad-
justment of rates which were in-
creased by the head camp in Chicago.
There are 18,000 members in Okla-
homa.

Orient Stops Texas Work.

Fort Stockton, Tex., Mar. 25.—Pend-
ing a satisfactory arrangement of the
financial difficulty all construction
work upon the Kansas City, Mexico
& Orient railway in this state has
been suspended. Many grading out-
fits are idle between Fort Stockton
and San Angelo, and also on the di-
vision between Alpine and this place.

Girl Carries Brother's Papers.

Osage City, Kan., Mar. 25.—Mat
Young carries papers in Osage City
and has a large list. He stepped on
a nail and was laid up several days.
His sister, Agnes, 11 years old, took
up the work and delivered his papers
to the patrons. The heavy snow-
storms did not deter her from keep-
ing up her brother's work.

Belt Caught His Clothing.

Independence, Kan., Mar. 25.—Har-
rison Piper, 19 years old, was killed
at the plant of the United Iron Works
here while trying to throw the belt on
a big gas engine. He was caught in
the belting, whirled over several times
and dashed to death against the
machinery.

A Clatter of Feet is Heard in the Land
They belong to Men who Dress Well and Swell
The STEADY TRAMP, TRAMP, is in the direction of

BERNEY HARRIS'

Maryville's Leading Clothing Store

"Young Fellows" and "Middle Aged Fellows"
keen for both Style and Quality are in Berney
Harris' Store playing a Dandy Game of "Give
and Take." Giving us their good money and
Taking our Smart Styles in

"Sincerity" or "Dresswell" Clothes

John B. Stetson Nifty Hats

Selz "Royal Blue" Nobby Shoes

Ferguson-McKinney Correct Soft and Laundered Shirts
"Holeproof" and "Black Cat" Guaranteed Hosiery

You can't get away from the superior style,
quality and dependableness of such "up to the
minute" manufacturers as the makers of

"Sincerity" and "Dresswell" Clothing

John B. Stetson Hats

"Royal Blue" Shoes

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"Holeproof" and "Black Cat" Hosiery

For style and quality they have the reach of a
Giant Crane and the Cordial Grip of a Borrowing
Friend.

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HIGH WATER IS EXPECTED

Heavy Snows and Quick Thaw Threaten Missouri and Kansas.

SMALL STREAMS ALREADY FULL

Five Inches of Snow Over Entire Kaw Watershed—Railroads Preparing to Dynamite Ice Gorges.

Topeka, Mar. 25.—The Kaw river is rising slowly again from the melting snows that cover the entire state. The weather office here would make no prediction as to the next day or two might bring to people in the Kaw valley. All the Kaw tributaries are falling except the Blue, which is rising rapidly at Blue Rapids and points above.

The snow water is just getting in to the river and will flow in great quantities if the weather continues warm. There is an average of five inches of snow over the entire water shed, and with the present high stage of the river and its tributaries the quick melting of the snow may cause all sorts of trouble and heavy losses. The small streams along the Kaw are flowing bank full from the melting snow and much apprehension has been caused here.

Railroads Got Off Easy.

The railroads got through the big storm in good shape. There were blockades on the Santa Fe, Rock Island and Union Pacific lines early in the morning, but the sun, snowplows and gangs of men quickly removed these, and all traffic is moving. Trains are one to five hours late from all parts of Kansas and also from the east. The eastern roads are causing the most delays to the Kansas west-bound traffic as the snow in Missouri has blocked most of the lines and held up mail connections.

Ten inches of snow fell in Topeka, the heaviest fall ever recorded in Kansas in March in 25 years. The total snowfall this winter has broken all previous records by five inches, the total fall being 43.7 inches for the winter, while the highest previous record, 1899, was 38 inches.

Missouri Flood Expected.

Omaha, Mar. 25.—Much anxiety is being caused by what is believed to be almost a certainty of serious floods in the Missouri river watershed. The railroads particularly are expecting trouble and for the protection of their property dynamite, with which to break up possible ice gorges, has been distributed to various places, where the necessity of such measures seems likely.

There is more snow on the ground now than at any time so late in the season for many years and the expected warm weather soon to come. It is feared, will bring down a flood from the North.

EXPECT BIG CHEESE FACTORY

McPherson Farmers Asked to Pledge 2,000 Cows Before Construction Begins.

McPherson, Kan., Mar. 25.—A \$30,000 cheese factory for McPherson is practically assured. Before beginning the construction of the plant the builders demanded that at least 2,000 cows should be pledged within a radius of six miles of McPherson as a source from which to obtain the milk necessary for a plant of that size. Through the influence of the board of trade, agreements have been made with the farmers within the prescribed territory for 1,850 cows and it is expected that next week will see the required number pledged to the support of the plant.

LEAVENWORTH TROOPS NOT TO GO

Seventh Infantry May Not be Needed on Border—"Ready-to-Move" Order Withdrawn.

Leavenworth, Mar. 25.—An order was received at headquarters at Fort Leavenworth that the seventh infantry, which has been held in readiness to move at a moment's notice, may unpack. Every organization in the post has been in readiness for active service for almost two months. The order is construed to mean that the trouble in Mexico has subsided and that no additional troops will be required on the border.

Fuel is Exhausted.

Hill City, Kan., Mar. 25.—Only the fact that the temperature is mild prevents acute suffering in the towns along the Lincoln branch of the Union Pacific. The fuel supply is exhausted and schools have closed. Farmers are burning fence posts, trees and whatever else is available.

Killed 600 in Battle.

Buenos Aires, Mar. 25.—Six hundred were killed in the battle at Asuncion, which resulted in a complete victory for the revolutionary forces over the Paraguayan government troops.

Christian Scientist Suicides.

Galesburg, Ill., Mar. 25.—Mrs. Frank Yates, formerly a reader in the Christian Science church, who has been ill, killed herself by drinking poison. She was 50 years old.

CAUSE FOR ALARM.

Loss of Appetite or Distress After Eating a Symptom That Should Not Be Disregarded.

Appetite is just a natural desire for food. Loss of appetite or stomach distress after eating indicate indigestion or dyspepsia. Over-eating is a habit very dangerous to a person's good general health.

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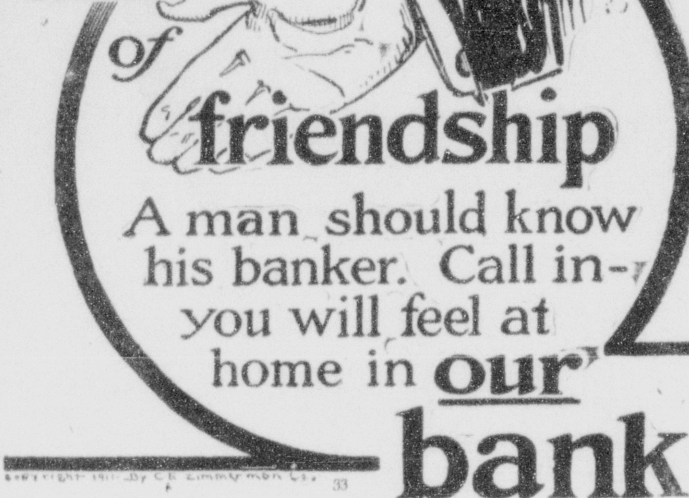
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